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Mr. Kit Pappas
Hidden Splendor Resources
Mid State Services-Horizon Mine
P.O. Box 32
Helper, Utah 84526

Subject: Reconnaissance Inspection – Horizon Mine

Dear Mr. Pappas:

On April 12, 2006 I conducted a reconnaissance inspection in regards to the Horizon Mine and UPDES Permit No. UTG040019. Specifically I observed the sediment pond, outfall locations and receiving waters of Jewkes Creek.

Enclosed is a copy of the inspection report for your records. If you have any questions, please contact me at (801) 538-6779 or by e-mail at jstudenka@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

Jeff Studenka, Environmental Scientist
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